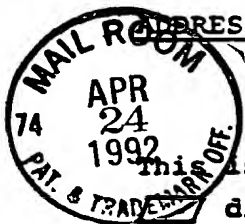


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This is a request for filing a ☐ continuation-in-part ☒ continuation  
divisional application under 37 C.F.R. 1.62 of prior application  
Serial No. 07/387,003, filed on July 28, 1989 and entitled  
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The above identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (Note: 37 C.F.R. 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

1. ☐ Enter the amendment previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 but unentered, in the prior application.
2. ☒ A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.

The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application, as amended at 1 and 2 above.

For	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	18 - 20 =	0	X \$ 20.00 =	\$ -
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2 - 3 =	0	X \$ 60.00 =	-
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (IF APPLICABLE)			+ \$110.00 =	
BASIC FEE				+ \$ 690.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 690.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).				-
TOTAL				\$ 690.00

3. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to ~~charge fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required~~ or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 22-0261. Two additional copies of this letter are enclosed.
4. ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 730.00 is enclosed.
5. ☐ A new oath or declaration is included, since this application is a continuation-in-part which discloses and claims additional matter.
6. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

This application is a ☐ continuation-in-part ☒ continuation ☐ division of application Serial No. 07/387,003, filed July 28, 1989.

7. ☐ A verified statement claiming small entity status is filed in the parent application.

8. ☐ Priority of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.
9. ☒ The prior application is assigned of record to \_\_\_\_\_  
Cetus Corporation
10. ☒ The power of attorney in the prior application is to  
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11. ☒ Also enclosed:  
(a) Rule 131 Declaration  
(b) Two (2) Rule 132 Declarations

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It is understood that secrecy under 35 U.S.C. 122 is hereby waived to the extent that if information or access is available to any one of the applications in the file wrapper of a 37 C.F.R. 1.62 application, be it either under this application or a prior application in the same file wrapper, the Patent and Trademark Office may provide similar information or access to all the other applications in the same file wrapper.

April 24, 1992  
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